Solly Serial Term 1 ~ Friday 10th March ~ Week 6



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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome everyone to Solomontown Primary School for 2023. I am very excited to be back after my year away at another school. I feel there is no place like Solly, as it has been wonderful to reconnect with our students, staff and families as well as meeting new staff, students and their families.

Our School Captains and House Captains have been selected and are now confidently operating in their various roles which is great to see.

We have also carried out the selection process for our Student Action Team (SAT) representatives for 2023 which includes 2 students from every class. For those who are new to our school, SAT is a group of students who address various issues that affect the wellbeing of our school community. Their role is to raise the profile of students, empowering them to influence and facilitate effective change, enhancing life and wellbeing at school. Changes made to secure the collaboration and wellbeing of all students are implemented based upon regular discussions from our SAT representatives.



VISION & VALUES

A Proud Past, A Bright Future

Respect

Responsibility

Confidence

Persistence



~ March 13th Public Holiday

~ March 23rd Student Free Day

> ~ April 7th Easter Friday

~ April 10th Easter Monday To begin our journey of enhancing the wellbeing of our school, we will implement a SAT induction session for our representatives on Thursday whereby we will play some getting to know you games with the view of meeting and connecting with other reps from Foundation to Year 6. We will discuss group expectations, as well as unpack what SAT encompasses including the various roles and responsibilities of being a SAT rep.

SAT reps will have time to share their ideas around how they think we can enhance the wellbeing of our school. These ideas will then form the foundation of our planning for 2023. I am very excited to be in a position where I can give our students a voice and hear what they have to say.

We have invited a guest speaker (our own Mr Jeffries) to talk to students about his leadership journey. Students will then have time to reflect and identify what reignited with them from Mr Jeffries talk and have the opportunity to ask questions. I feel this will be a powerful time whereby students have an opportunity to really understand what leadership entails both the difficulties and the benefits.

We will end our session with some casual fellowship and lots of pizza. Student Action Team reps will be given their badges at Assembly on Friday.

Cheers

Mrs Gapp

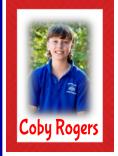
Wellbeing Leader



2023 School Captains



2023 Sportsday Captains









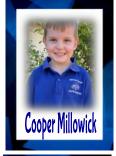








































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Student Action Team

School Closed Monday 13th March Public Holiday

Parent/Teacher Interview information

This year we will be using an online system to make Parent/Teacher interview bookings .

The Parent/Teacher interviews will be held in week 9, Monday 27th March - Thursday 30th March.

Bookings can be made at https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code/kv2js.

Alternatively, scan the QR code below.

To make your bookings, you will need to enter the Solomontown Event Code is - **kv2js**

You will be asked to add your email address, parent name, phone number and student name. You will have access to the different teachers portals to make your booking.

If you have any problems with this process, please call into the front office and we will help you through it.



2023 Material & Services Charges

Invoices for your Childs' Material & Services Charges have been mailed to your address on the schools database, if your address has changed, or if you have not received your invoice please contact the school. A statement accompanied the invoice showing the \$100.00 Government rebate for 2023. The due date for payment is the 20th February 2023 which is extended to the end of Term 1, 14th April. Contact the school if you wish to set up a payment plan.

Any families with a Government CRN may be eligible to receive the Government School Card assistance. You can apply by going online to www.sa.gov – school card scheme – scroll down & click on School Card A - then click on School Card A apply now or call into the school front office to fill out a School Card form.

Regards Sue Norton Finance Officer

Student Free Day Thursday 23rd March

TERM 1 LUNCH SPECIALS

WEEK 7

Week 7
15th March Chicken
Burger with
Lettuce,
cheese,
tomato, mayo

WEEK 9

Week 9
29th March Squash Dog
with cheese
and sauce

WEEK 11

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12th April Beef Burger
with lettuce,
cheese,
tomato, mayo



Port Pirie Scout Group

Come & Try
Scouting

For Youth age 5 to 11 years old

Meeting Monday evenings from 6pm

Pt Pirie Scout Hall, Mary Elie Street

For more info contact: Janet McCulloch gl.ptpirie@sa.scouts.com.au





JUNIORS AGES 7 AND UP

Port Pirie Dart Club is looking for young ones interested in giving the game of darts a go.

Great to sharpen up those math

Great to sharpen up those math skills.

Starts Tuesday 14th of March from 4pm till 5pm. cost of \$2 per night. located at 10 Geddes Road Pirie